FY19 Flood Control District Priorities

• Complete the engineering and initial phase of construction of the Mountain Dell/Sinclair Wash FCD project
• Complete the City of Williams Pre-Disaster Plan. Work with the USFS to secure support and resources for implementing forest restoration on Bill Williams Mountain and secure resources to implement the pre-disaster plan
• Implement the plan developed by the newly hired Forest Restoration Director
• Invest in LiDAR to support forest restoration activities
• Complete FEMA remapping of Mountainaire, Kachina Village, and Munds Park
• Accurately distribute Flood Control FTE’s between General Fund and Flood Control to reflect the actual work performed by those in CD on behalf of the FCD

FY18 Flood Control District Accomplishments

• Began implementing new legal framework for the Flood Control District
• Established the County’s role in forest restoration as the top priority for the Flood Control District given this is the greatest threat to public safety in our County
• Finalized the Post Wildfire Flooding and Debris Flow Study
• Hired a Forest Restoration Director
• Completed feasibility study of the potential Munds Park Wash Project
• Received RAC grant award of $97,053 for City of Williams Pre-Disaster Plan for post wildfire flooding, a key recommendation from the Post Wildfire Flooding and Debris Flow Study
• Finalized the Schultz Flood Area mitigation monitoring
• Advanced the Mountain Dell/Sinclair Wash Project
• Inspected and repaired Sinclair Dam
• Completed weed mitigation on 36 acres of drainage infrastructure

Mission of the Flood Control District

Coconino County Flood Control District is committed to the prevention of post-wildfire flooding through forest restoration, to understanding potential flood impacts by conducting studies, and to mitigating flood impacts through a capital improvement plan and the administration of the National Flood Insurance Program.
Citizen Impact
- Wildfire and post wildfire flooding are the greatest public safety threats to the County's residents, businesses, economy and financial solvency.
- Advanced several key recommendations from the Post Wildfire Flooding and Debris Flow Study including the Pre-Disaster Plan for the City of Williams and establishing a Forest Restoration Initiative.

Pre-Disaster Planning
Coconino County has taken steps to understand the potential flooding and debris-flow risk to the City of Williams and secure funding to support forest restoration on Bill Williams Mountain. A detailed study was completed in 2017 to understand the potential flooding impacts and in August of 2017, a Tabletop Exercise was conducted to evaluate emergency response procedures and begin collaboration between key stakeholders in Williams.

As an extension of this effort, Coconino County received a grant from the Forest Service to prepare a Pre-Disaster Plan for the City of Williams. This plan includes a detailed assessment of potential impacts to transportation corridors, critical facilities, public roads and utilities, and franchise utilities as well as identification of possible improvements to increase resiliency. Preparation of the plan is underway and is anticipated to be completed in fall 2018.